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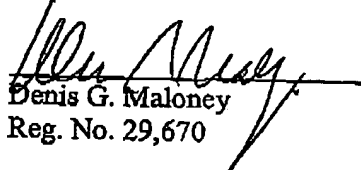
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Appellant: RICHARD G. KETCHUM et al.  
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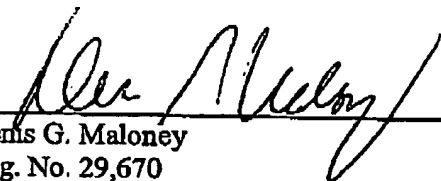
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By this paper addressed to the Chief Clerk of the Board, Appellant requests that the Oral Hearing scheduled for Thursday, November 17, 2005 be by telephone. Appellant will bear all of the telephonic costs associated with this request.

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